



IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re the Application of: **Koji NOZAKI et al.**

Group Art Unit: **1752**

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For: **RESIST PATTERN THICKENING MATERIAL, RESIST PATTERN AND PROCESS FOR FORMING THE SAME, AND SEMICONDUCTOR DEVICE AND PROCESS FOR MANUFACTURING THE SAME**

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RESPONSE

Commissioner for Patents
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Sir:

This paper is filed in response to the Office Action dated October 2, 2007, the response due date extended to March 2, 2008 by a two-months Extension of Time.

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